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For: COMPOSITION FOR TREATING)
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1-15 as follows:

1. (Amended) [Composition] A composition for the curative and prophylactic treatment of obesity, comprising an extract of green tea containing from 20% to 50% by mass of catechols expressed as epigallocatechol gallate (EGCG).

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